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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Applicants submit the references listed on the attached FORM PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed. This statement is being filed simultaneously with the above-identified application.

Lindauer et al. disclose an instrumentation system coupled to a patient gathering data about the patient over time. The data is arranged in a flowsheet, only a portion of which can be displayed at one time. Indicators are provided for the presence of data off-display meeting a preselected criterion. Upon activation of an indicator, the display scrolls to the next flowsheet neighborhood containing an entry meeting the criterion (See abstract and figures).

Shelton et al. disclose a method of displaying information from an information based computer system. Changes or corrections to data values are maintained in a historical record. When the form is displayed, options are provided indicating whether there are older or newer data values.

Other references are also cited.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make this information of record in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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